

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**

In re)	PROMESA
)	Title III
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THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO,)	No. 17 BK 3283-LTS
)	
)	(Jointly Administered)
As a representative of)	
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THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO <i>et al.</i>,)	Re: Dkt. No. 24336
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Debtors.¹)	Hearing date: June 8, 2023 at 9:30 a.m. (Atlantic Standard Time)
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**INFORMATIVE MOTION OF THE FEE EXAMINER PURSUANT TO ORDER
REGARDING PROCEDURES FOR HEARING ON JUNE 8, 2023, OMNIBUS HEARING**

By his counsel, the Fee Examiner appointed in these proceedings files this Informative Motion pursuant to the *Order Regarding Procedures for Hearing on June 8, 2023, Omnibus Hearing* [Dkt. No. 24336]. The Fee Examiner's Party Appearance Cover Sheet is attached to this Informative Motion as **Exhibit A**. The Fee Examiner further states that:

¹ The Debtors in these Title III Cases, along with each Debtor's respective Title III case number and the last four (4) digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, as applicable, are the: (i) Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3283-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3481); (ii) Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation ("COFINA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3284-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 8474); (iii) Puerto Rico Highways and Transportation Authority ("HTA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3567-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3808); (iv) Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico ("ERS") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3566-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 9686); and, (v) Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority ("PREPA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 4780-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3747) Puerto Rico Public Buildings Authority ("PBA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 19-BK-5523-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3801) (Title III case numbers are listed as Bankruptcy Case numbers due to software limitations).

1. On May 31, 2023, the Fee Examiner filed the *Fee Examiner's Report on Uncontested Professional Fee Matters for Consideration in Connection with the June 8, 2023 Omnibus Hearing* [Dkt. No. ____] (the “**Status Report**”).

2. The Status Report outlines the Fee Examiner's recommendations for the Court's approval, with adjustments and on an uncontested basis, of a group of interim applications for the Seventeenth Interim Compensation Period (October 1, 2022-January 31, 2023) and prior interim fee periods and a group of final applications.

3. The Status Report attached a proposed order approving the uncontested fee applications (the “Proposed Order”). Counsel will also submit the Proposed Order to chambers in MS Word format pursuant to the *Sixteenth Amended Case Management and Administrative Procedures* [Dkt. No. 20190-1] (the “**Case Management Procedures**”).

4. On May 11, 2023, the Fee Examiner filed the *Eleventh Interim and Consolidated Semiannual Application of the Fee Examiner and Godfrey & Kahn, S.C., Counsel to the Fee Examiner, for Allowance of Compensation for Services Rendered and Reimbursement of Expenses for the Period From October 1, 2022 Through March 31, 2023* [Dkt. No. 24199] (the “**Eleventh G&K Fee Application**”).

5. The Eleventh G&K Fee Application attached a proposed order approving the application (the “**Proposed G&K Fee Application Order**”) and submitted a version of same to chambers in MS Word format pursuant to the Case Management Procedures.

6. Pursuant to the *Third Amended Order Setting Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals* [Dkt. No. 20546] (the “**Third Amended Compensation Order**”) if no objections are timely filed, fee applications may be approved by Court order without a hearing, *id.* at 2(j), and the Court has done so in the past.

7. The Fee Examiner plans to appear in person at the hearing in New York, with counsel on the listen-only public access line. The Fee Examiner will be prepared to respond to questions from the Court, if any, regarding the Status Report, the Eleventh G&K Fee Application, or any related matters. Should the Court elect to enter the Proposed Order and/or the Proposed G&K Fee Application Order prior to the hearing, the Fee Examiner does not plan to participate in the hearing.

Dated this 31st day of May 2023.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that on this date, we electronically filed the foregoing motion with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system that will send notification of such filing to all attorneys of record registered in the use of the CM/ECF system.

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EXHIBIT A
FEE EXAMINER'S PARTY APPEARANCE SHEET

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